

IN THE DRAWING

A Replacement Sheet is attached to label Fig. 1 Prior Art, as requested in the Action.



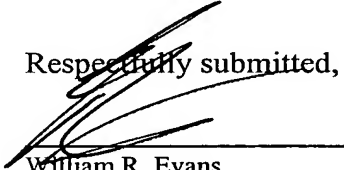
### REMARKS

The allowance or allowability of all the claims is acknowledged appreciatively and accepted above along with labelling Fig. 1, as requested.

In particular, claims 7 and 14 are amended to independence by incorporating all of original parent claim 1 except the poppet valve and its relation in describing a flow path. Inasmuch as such amendment of these claims only incorporates original claim limitations, Festo-like considerations should not arise, despite some contrary thinking. Other claim changes are non-narrowing and, therefore, even if in response to a statutory objection (35 USC 112, second paragraph) should not invoke Festo-like considerations, either.

Reconsideration and allowance are, therefore, requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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